

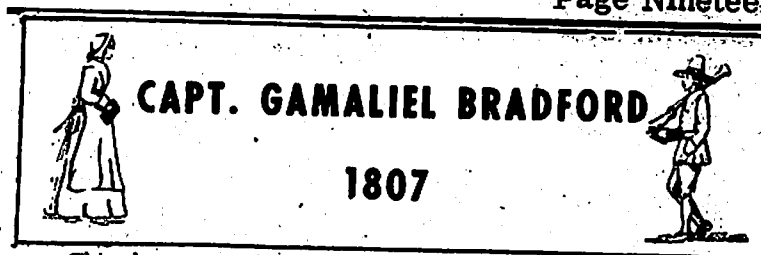
Historical house S - VANE, A-L

(Tremont St)

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This house on the west side of Tremont St. and a bit south of the junction of Tremont and Harrison streets was built in 1807 by Captain Gamaliel Bradford on land he inherited from his father, Colonel Gamaliel Bradford. He was 56 years old, a prosperous sea faring man, well able to build a substantial home--typical of the comfortably elegant home of the early ship builders.

This was once the home of Rev. Josiah Moore whose ten children crowded even this large house. After 40 years of the minister's occupancy the house fell into a state of neglect during a time of short term owners and tenants.

Rescued in the early 1900's by a son of Rev. Josiah Moore who restored it as he remembered it in his childhood. The present owners have not only maintained the house but have continued the care as appreciative owners can give.